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INVENTOR(S) : Ooyama et al.

It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

#### Column 9,

Line 8, delete "excavating" and insert -- extracting --. Line 34, delete "sensor" and insert -- sensors --.

#### Column 10,

Line 1, delete "rotation" and insert -- rotating --. Line 9, insert -- a -- before "pulse". Line 34, delete "in" before "outside".

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### REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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The undersigned requests that a Certificated of Correction be issued for the above-identified patent as indicated on the attached Form PTO-1050.

This request is being made in order to correct Claims on the Specification. Please delete "excavating" and insert "extracting" at column 9, line 8, delete "sensor" and insert "sensors" at column 9, line 34, delete "rotation" and insert "rotating" at column 10, line 1, insert --a-- before "pulse" at column 10, line 9, and delete "in" before "outside" at column 10, line 34. It is respectfully submitted that no new matter has been added.

Since this error is a Patent and Trademark Office printing error, it is respectfully submitted that no fee is required.

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Column 10, at line 9: insert -a-- before "pulse".

Column 10, at line 34: delete "in" before "outside".

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